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TELSTAR CHAPTER OF NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY HOLDS INDUCTION, JAN. 11

The Telstar Chapter of the National Honor Society held an induction ceremony for 15 new members on Wednesday evening, Jan. 11, at the Moses Mason House. Dan Cummings, Chapter president, serving as master of ceremonies, extended a welcome to the group and then introduced Dr. Wayne Gerson, Telstar principal, who spoke briefly on the importance of N. H. S., further mentioning his favorable observations of Telstar and the area to date. Next, Philip Gauthier, regional chairman of District 3, N. H. S., summarized the history of the National Honor Society and its activities at Telstar. The main speaker of the evening was Rodney Abbott, Telstar English teacher, whose thoroughly enjoyable speech was highlighted by amusing references to each of the 25 N. H. S. members, old and new.

Following Mr. Abbott's speech, the traditional candlelight ceremony to induct the 15 new members. Steve Morrill, Patty Owen, Peter Keniston, and Faith Morgan spoke briefly on the four N. H. S. characteristics of Leadership, Character, Scholarship, and Service respectively. As President, Cummings called up new members, Manya Dombkowski, Priscilla Webster, Scott Wright, and Raymond Wirth alternated in recognizing each member's extra-curricular activities and accomplishments. Mrs. Madeleine Gibbs, advisor, administered the pledge and gave out membership cards and pins.

After the ceremony, pictures were taken by Donald Brown, and refreshments were served. Also at this time guests were given a guided candlelight tour of the museum under the direction of Stanley Howe, curator.

The new members are as follows: (Seniors) Kurt Brown, David Clements, Rhonda Cummings, Gary Dunham, Ellen Lovejoy, Paula Mills, Marc Packard, Ann Summer-ton and Jerry Verrill; (Juniors) Pam M. Bean, Wendy Davis, Mike Friel, Jody Haines, Blaine MacKay, and Leigh Michaud.

To be eligible for N. H. S. membership, a student must have an accumulative average of at least 85. Beyond qualifying for eligibility, grades are no longer considered. Members are then chosen by a faculty committee of seven, representing the major academic disciplines, on the basis of Character, Leadership and Service to the school. Serving on the faculty selection committee are Rodney Abbott, English Department; Pauline Applin, Math Dept.; Samuel Elliott, Guidance Dept.; Timothy Kersy, Science Dept.; William Morton, Social Studies Dept.; Felix Otero-Otero, Foreign Languages Dept.; and Mrs. Madeleine Gibbs, N. H. S. advisor.

TELSTAR NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTION CEREMONIES — Fifteen members of Telstar Regional High School's junior and senior classes were inducted into the school's Chapter, Wednesday evening, Jan. 11, in ceremonies held at the Moses Mason House.

Those participating were, seated (left to right) front row: Priscilla Webster, Manya Dombkowski, Raymond Wirth, Phillip Gauthier, Scott Wright. Second row: Faith Morgan, Peter Keniston, Daniel Cummings, Patricia Owen, Stephen Morrill; third row, standing, are newly inducted members Jerry Verrill, Jody Haines, Pam M. Bean, Paula Mills, Leigh Michaud, Ann Summer-ton, Wendy Davis, Marc Packard, Kurt Brown, Gary Dunham, Rhonda Cummings, Ellen Lovejoy, David Clement, Blaine MacKay, and Mike Friel.

EXHIBIT OF PORTRAIT AT MOSES MASON HOUSE, JAN. 22 HAS BEEN CANCELLED

The exhibit of a portrait attributed to Jonathan Adams Bartlett sponsored by the Tributary Arts Council scheduled for Sunday, Jan. 22 between 1 and 4 p. m. in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House has been cancelled.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE SCHEDULED

Mundt-Allen American Legion Auxiliary has announced that the unit will be sponsoring a Defensive Driving Course starting in February. The course, taught by Eudon Bartlett of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department, is open to all drivers and will run for four consecutive Wednesday evenings beginning Feb. 15, 7 to 9 o'clock, at the American Legion Hall, Vernon Street.

The fee of \$5 (\$2 for anyone over 65 years of age) is payable prior to the first class. All those interested should contact Miss Jeri Brooks, evenings at 824-2532, to enroll or for further information.

20+ INCHES OF SNOW IN BETHEL DURING WEEK

In a storm last Friday night and Saturday about 15 inches of snow dropped on the Bethel area, tapering off with freezing rain and snow flurries late Saturday. On Wednesday another seven to nine inches arrived. Temperatures during the week have ranged from slightly below zero to the high 20s.

PARENTS' NIGHT AT TELSTAR FOR GRADES 8-11 TO BE HELD THURSDAY, JAN. 26

On Jan. 26, 1978 at 7:30, Dr. Wayne R. Gerson and Sam Elliott will meet with parents of eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh graders to discuss course selection for the 1978-79 school year. On this evening, the newly compiled curriculum guide will be available to parents, and the programs of study available at Telstar will be described and discussed.

Course selection is beginning early this year so that students and teachers can receive their schedules before the conclusion of the school year. The curriculum guide will allow students to plan their entire academic program for their years at Telstar, and provide both parents and students with the information they need to make decisions regarding course selection.

TOWN CHAIRMEN NAMED FOR MARCH OF DIMES IN NORTHERN OXFORD COUNTY

The following town chairmen have been appointed to conduct the 1978 March of Dimes drive in Northern Oxford County. The drive will be held the last week in January. Each Chairman will be announcing the Mothers Marchers and Captains.

Andover, Miss Donna French; Bethel, Mrs. Peter Weeks, Broad St.; Dixfield, Mrs. Reginald Wing (Carol); Mexico, Mrs. Norman Gaudet (Susan); Rumford, Mrs. James Anasfasio (Andrea); 440 Knox St., and Mrs. Michael, Cooca (Elvera) Smithville, co-chairmen; Tebu, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dolloff; Hanover, Mrs. Robert Parent; West Sumner, Mrs. Pauline Kirschner; Wilson's Mills, Leroy Olson. Treasurer: Mrs. Gladys Gilbert, Maine National Bank, Rumford; Charles Hurd, Bethel.

CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATES MEET WITH COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

Second District Congressional District candidates Mark Gartley and James Henderson were guests attending the January meeting of the Oxford County Democratic Committee on Thursday, held at Ben's Restaurant in South Paris. Both candidates reported briefly on their campaigns and promised to be back in Oxford County frequently during the next few months.

The first portion of the evening was devoted to an official Platform Committee hearing, conducted by Linda Dyer of Canaan, Ted Whitfield of South Paris, Edward Manning of Forter, and Emily Saunders of Bethel. It is expected that a preliminary draft of the 1978 Platform will be available continued on Page Eight

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

Residents are reminded that stickers will soon be required on vehicles to enable use of the dump. Trucks will be required to have stickers by Feb. 1 and cars by March 1. These stickers are available at the Town Office. One sticker is provided free, the second costs 25 cents.

Residents are also reminded that nomination papers are now available for individuals interested in running for local offices: at the March 20 municipal election. To be elected are two Selectmen for three years; two Assessors for three years; and two School Directors for three years. Nomination papers must be completed and returned to the Town Clerk by Monday, Feb. 27.

The Board of Selectmen met Monday evening, Jan. 16, in special session to review the Town's consulting engineer, DuBois and King, the plan of study and federal grant application for upgrading the town's sewer system. This work would involve planning assistance to identify specific problems with our present system, the extent of those problems, and alternatives for correcting these problems in a cost effective manner.

The Board after discussion, voted to submit the application for federal and state financial assistance to cost \$30,000. The federal share would be 75% (\$22,500), the state share would be 15% (\$4,500), and the town's share would be 10% (\$3,000).

Because the emphasis of the project would be on identifying infiltration/inflow problems with our main system, much of the work had to be done in late March and early April. This work to be undertaken this year. The federal grant would have to be approved by late February or early March. It will also be necessary for the town to hold a special Town meeting in the next three weeks to see if the voters will empower the Selectmen to accept federal and state financial assistance for the project and to see if the voters will authorize the expenditures of \$3,050 in Town funds for the project.

The Board directed the manager to draw up a warrant for this meeting, review it with the Town's Attorney, and submit it to the Board for review and approval at their next meeting.

The next meeting of the Board will be Monday, Jan. 23, at 7 p. m. in the Town Office.

Norman R. Ness, Jr.

MARCH OF DIMES VOLUNTEERS ANNOUNCED

Volunteers have been announced for the annual Mothers March on Birth Defects during the month of January. Officially, the march is planned for Thursday, Jan. 26, but some may be calling at other times. Please welcome the volunteer listed for your area:

Broad St., Mrs. Ernest Tremblay; Bridge and Riverside Sts., Mrs. James Hutchins; Douglass Trailer Park, Mrs. Richard Douglass; Chapman St., Mrs. Frank Packard; Church St., Mrs. Frank Vogt; Clark and Lower Main Sts., Mrs. Howard Cole; Crescent and Main Sts., Mrs. Wendell Sweetser; Edson Lane, Mrs. Carolyn Holden; Evergreen Rd., Mrs. Avery Angvine; Elm and Sumner Sts., Mrs. Charles Hurd.

Upper Main St., Mrs. Gordon Gillies; Songo Rd. and Mill Hill, Mrs. Jean Owen; Mechanic St., Mrs. Paul Bodwell; Northwest Bethel, Mrs. Stephen Anderson; Paradise St., Mrs. Stephen Garbarini; Mrs. Kenneth Ramage; Miss Dorothy Boyce; Park St., Mrs. Greg Snyder; Railroad St., Mrs. Gemma Morrill; Spring and Philbrook Sts., Mrs. David Brown; Steam Mill, Mrs. Hazel Swain and Mrs. Mark Bennett.

Rumford Rd., Mrs. Dana Douglass; Tyler and Kilborn, Mrs. Kenneth Bedder; Vernon St., Mrs. Barbara Legere; East Bethel, Mrs. Arthur Chamberlin, Mrs. Irving York, Mrs. Melvin Olson, Mrs. Peter Haines, Mrs. Ernest Blake, and Mrs. Robert Curtis; West Bethel.

PUBLIC SUPPERS ODD FELLOWS HALL, BETHEL

First and Third Saturdays 5:00 to 6:30 p. m.
Jan. 21 Menu — Baked beans, meat loaf, potato, vegetable, pie, rolls.
Benefit Frank & Sidney Murphy
Sponsored by Mt. Abram Lodge, I.O.O.F.

MIDNIGHT FIRE CONTROLLED BY BETHEL FIREMEN MONDAY

The Bethel Fire Department was called to the home of Stanley Roberts on High Street in Bethel at 11:30 p. m. on Monday, Jan. 16. A wall above a wood stove on the first floor of the Roberts home was aflame when the firemen arrived and the fire travelled inside the wall to the second floor. Firemen broke through the wall on the second floor and were able to extinguish the blaze.

"THE ASCENT OF CERRO TORRE" AT GOULD TONIGHT

Tonight (Thursday) Gould Academy's Outing Club will host the second in its series of Adventure Lectures. Jay Wilson will give an illustrated talk on the American ascent of Cerro Torre, a mountain in Patagonia, South America.

The program will start at 8 p. m. and will be held in Room 164, Hanscom Hall, Gould Academy.

The public is cordially invited to attend this most interesting and dramatic ascent of one of the most beautiful of the Andes Mountains. There is no charge, and anyone remotely interested in the outdoors won't want to miss it.

"ENTERTAINER CONCERT" IN RUMFORD CONCERT, JAN. 20

Hal Shane, billed as an "Entertainer Supreme" will be appearing at Rumford's Muskie Auditorium on Friday, Jan. 20, 1978, as a presentation of Rumford Community Concerts Assn. With his lyric baritone voice, Mr. Shane is first and foremost a singer but his talents also include self-accompaniment on the guitar and banjo, solo performance of classical and modern guitar compositions, dancing and composing. The program to be offered by Mr. Shane will encompass this variety and range from early English madrigals and Villa-Lobos guitar solos to Broadway show tunes, current folk music and his own compositions.

Mr. Shane, at the age of 29, has already performed throughout the country in concert, conducted workshops and lecture demonstrations on various college campuses, and acquired an impressive list of theatrical credits including appearances on Broadway and at the Goodspeed Opera House in Connecticut.



Hal Shane

Mr. Shane's concert career began in the 1971-72 season and has taken him to all corners of the country. Between concert engagements he has been in increasing demand on college campuses for seminars, workshops and artist-in-residence programs. A serious composer, Mr. Shane finds time between public appearances to continue his work in this field and also in the lucrative field of television, for which he composed the music for commercials of such major firms as Allitalia Airlines.

MUNDT-ALLEN POST & UNIT TO MEET TUESDAY, JAN. 24

The next meetings of the Mundt-Allen Unit and Post #81 will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 24, at the Legion Home on Vernon St.

Mrs. George Westleigh, Mrs. Chester Wheeler, Mrs. Ronald Snyder, Mrs. Emerson Merrill; South Bethel, Mrs. Edwin Brown; Sudbury Village, Mrs. John Rayne.

SINGERS NEEDED FOR MINSTREL SHOW TO BE PRESENTED IN MARCH

Watch next week for further information.

DO YOU NEED DAY CARE FOR YOUR PRESCHOOLER?

The West Bethel Children's Center has several openings. If your child is between the ages 3 and 6, please contact us at 836-3700.

S. A. D. #44 DIRECTORS MEET AT ANDOVER

The board of directors of S. A. D. #44 met Monday evening, Jan. 16, at the Andover Elementary School. A meeting of the personnel committee preceded the general meeting.

A report on activities at Telstar Regional High School was given by Student Council representative Glen Conrad, followed by a report by Marie Wilson on the Community Education Grant Proposal.

Superintendent of Schools Kenneth Smith reported on the drinking water situations at the high school and at Locke Mills Elementary School. It was noted that the most recent water testing done in Locke Mills showed the number of bacteria colonies present to be zero, in contrast to alarming earlier reports.

A report on the freeze-up in Woodstock Elementary School, which resulted in damage to several pipes in late December, was given by Timothy Barker, teaching principal. An inexpensive warning device has now been installed to alert townspeople to any dangerous drop in temperature in the school.

Mr. Smith presented copies of the Telstar newspaper, "The Rebel Report," and proposed board policies to the directors.

During the portion of the meeting reserved for board member comments, it was asked that thanks be expressed to Mrs. Virginia Kelly for her work with the Crescent Park cross-country ski program, which now provides approximately 75 students with the opportunity to ski.

A personnel committee report by Margaret Wright of Newry resulted in a motion for action on the resignation of Samuel Elliott as guidance counselor to be placed on the agenda for the evening. The motion was carried and the board, during the new business portion of the meeting, voted to approve the resignation, effective March 3.

The resignation of Tim LaVallee as Telstar Athletic Director effective Dec. 22, 1977, and the appointment of Peter Brown, presently acting Athletic Director, to fill the position for the balance of the 1977-78 school year were approved.

Authorization was granted by the board to accept the highest bids offered on two used 66-passenger school buses. Successful bidders were: Harley Briggs, South Paris, 1968 Chevrolet, \$261; Larry G. Smith, Sr., Bethel, 1968 Chevrolet, \$412.

In other business Robert Remington was appointed as Telstar Middle School softball coach for the 1977-78 school year and the board voted to appoint Tim Kavanagh as the Telstar Regional High School cross country skiing coach for the current school year.

The resignation of Mrs. Ruby Hathaway as a S. A. D. #44 bus driver was accepted by the board. The appointments of Adult Education teachers for courses to be offered in the district this spring were approved as follows: English, Jay Davis, Malinda Crutchfield; History, Red Abbott, Math, Ted Davis; Psychology, Sue Taylor; Sewing, Kay Chadbourne, Rebecca Schachter; Spinning and Weaving, Betsy Gray Bell; Spanish, Felix Otero; Science, Tim Kersy; A Course for Parents, Alice Gruba; Small Engines, Art Chamberlin; Silk Screening, Dave Tripp; Nutrition, Steve Garbarini; "Roots," Stanley Howe; Income Tax Preparation, Ken Phillips; Yoga, Mer Gillies; Bee-Keeping, Paul Wilson; Painting, Bob Grose; Typing, Shorthand, Cheryl Lord; Drivers' Education, Ralph Niemi; Field Hockey Officiating, Kathy Dunham; Flower Arranging, Shelly French.

Art Froburg, district psychologist, gave a presentation of approximately 30 minutes showing results of recent standardized testing in the district as compared to national norms.

Mr. Smith introduced discussion of the new Child Abuse and Neglect law, followed by discussion of the new immunization law requirements and the distribution of a hand-out showing that S. A. D. #44's immunization records compare favorably with those of other districts in Oxford County.

Directors absent from the Monday evening meeting were: Andrew Hinkley of Woodstock, and Charles Haegle of Newry.

By board action the meeting scheduled for Jan. 23 was cancelled. The next regular meeting of the board will be held on Monday, Feb. 6, at Telstar Regional High School.

GAME PARTY

Legion Hall—Locke Mills

Every Friday—7:00 p. m.

JACKSON-SILVER POST

Flea and Antique Market

Sunday, Jan. 22 1-4 p. m.
Fireman's Hall
Market Square, South Paris
One stall with items of local interest

The market for dealers, collectors, browsers, everyone

ROBERTS POULTRY FARM

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3 1/2 doz. \$2.77
5 doz. \$4.15
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DON'T THROW IT AWAY Have It Repaired BAILEY'S SHARP ALL AND REPAIR SHOP

Bethel Spa Restaurant
WILL BE OPEN ON SUNDAYS
FROM 7:30 A. M. - 11 A. M.

THE SUDBURY INN

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Roaring Twenties Night
Sat., Jan. 28
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Grand Opening KP AUTO REPAIRS

OLD ROUTE 5, SOUTH ANDOVER
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This Week: Oil-Filter and Grease Job
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CALL 392-4781

Northwest Bethel - Albany

Clarice Gibson, Corres.

The weather is still top news as after the floods of Monday we woke up Saturday to a winter wonderland. We woke up a pure white blanket of snow that covered all the dirt that accumulated after a few days. We got between eight to twelve inches of new snow. The river has iced over and with the new snow on it blends into the white landscape. We too, can erase the bad in our lives and start anew with a clean slate.

The Chapman's on the hill were without lights for quite a few hours as a tree fell over the road and wires, halfway up the hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chapman were going to Tony Chapman's Sunday to a Super Bowl buffet. A group was getting together for a buffet and then to watch the Super Bowl together.

Joan Coolidge is home in her trailer home and has a woman from Andover staying until she is able to be by herself again.

Mr. and Mrs. John Laban and three children went up to Reading, Mass., Friday, the sixth, to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Casey. Saturday they went to visit his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Laban in Plymouth, Mass. They came back Sunday and Sue said that the roads were miserable all the way home. How good we feel to see our homes if we have had a bad trip.

Kerry Smith of Lebanon, N. H. had supper Wednesday night with his parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith Jr. He was working in South Paris grading lumber at the Ethan Allen Wood Products, High Street.

Ms Sally Clay had to stay with friends in Bethel Monday night as the time when she got home from work was when both ways of getting home were blocked.

Robert Stearns' uncle-in-law's funeral, George Barlow, was Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Seames and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shimamura and Thelma Merrill attended.

Mrs. Frank Benson's sister also passed away and her funeral was Sunday. We want to express our sympathy to both families.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert had friends, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coleman from Mechanic Falls, visit Sunday.

Charles and Ruth Mason left Monday, Jan. 16, for Charles' check-up in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hutchins were up to their son's and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hutchins and daughters, for Saturday night supper.

Margaret Bauer of Bridgton came Wednesday and took James back to his apartment in Old Town.

The Stanley Moores had water pressure well around their home and chicken house. The water got up to the door of the chicken house and then with the drop in the temperature stopped rising so where they had thought they would lose the whole first floor of birds, didn't lose any to the flood. The birds were almost ready to go as they were taken out the middle of the week. Stan Moore is leaving

HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres.

Winter has returned, dumping close to a foot of snow on us over the week end. The skiers are happy once again.

Callers at the Wardwell Farm this week end were Hugh and Edith Stearns, Helen and Linwood Ring, Edith and Harris Hathaway, Verna Robinson, Herman Gatchell and Peter, Pat and Aaron Parent.

Don and Judy James called at the Barton Farm on Wednesday evening.

On Sunday Frank and Harvey Barton went to Brownfield.

A relatively quiet week here at K-D's Acres despite the fact the boys were home from school on Monday and Tuesday.

Jane Twitchell and son B. J. and Christine Twitchell called on us Tuesday. Other callers were Gus McAllister and Warren Cairns.

How's everything in Hermon, Aunt Essie?

Keep smiling!

Wednesday for Camp Drum, N. Y. for two weeks. Sue's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Young of Locke Mills will be staying with her and the children.

Barbara MacDougall and I went to Rumford Wednesday. In a lot of places we could see jagged rings of ice around a lot of trees as high as three or four feet up from the base where the rings had been left after the waters had receded from Monday's flood.

I called up my brother, Daniel Allen, Saturday. Where our high water was early evening Monday night, in Canton, where he lives, the high water was between the early hours of Tuesday morning. My brother said that he was traveling up route 140 that runs between Canton and Jay in a motorboat getting people who needed to be moved from their homes. I know we have floods in the spring, but in January, Well!

Young Life invited anyone from Telstar who wanted to go to a skating party in the field behind Fern's General Store. Those who went from our road were Jody and Billy Shimamura, Carol Mason and Rick Angove.

While watching the television Sunday the TV went blank. I checked around and as I couldn't find any trouble in the living room checked the fuse box. The box was opened about an inch and lying in the corner was a dead mouse.

Whether he caused the blown fuse or not I'll never know.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Saunders and two boys went to her mother's, Mrs. Eleanor Morton and family, Saturday. Mrs. Morton's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Melchin and two children were visiting from Massachusetts.

One reason why a dog is such a lovable creature is that his tail wags instead of his tongue.

Pat Anderson is going to be marching for March of Dimes on Northwest Bethel Road the third and fourth weeks of January.

Pat Anderson wants all Campbell soup labels anyone can give her for books and equipment for Ethel Bisbee School. Either leave with Pat or in boxes put around town. Deadline is March 11.

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North East Lovell

Pauline Smith, Corres.

Rose Young and Carolyn Knights of Oxford, had dinner with Carolyn's mother, Pauline Smith Thursday. Iva Fox and little Lynn had dinner there also.

More rain, snow. They say it's a normal winter. 20 above seems a heat wave, when we enjoy it compared to 8 below and wind.

Dana Gragson and friend are here for two weeks at Don Gragson's cottage.

Barbara LeMay, Mary Fox, Rose-Mary Smith, visited at Kendall's Corner this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox and sons, Troy, Raymond, visited. Uncle Leroy Smith one evening.

Pauline Smith walked over to see Arline Conway Wednesday. Had a nice call. What a beautiful spot her home is in, looking onto the mountains, fields and the Millett farm. I regret Arline has since gone to the Norway Hospital. Our prayers are with her.

Senior Citizens met at the United Church of Christ, Lovell Center. Mr. and Mrs. Carol Stearns took Marion Kendall. Pot luck dinner and beano.

Several helped Roy Smith move his fish house Sunday.

Linda Allen, Nancy Barker, called on Iva Fox Sunday.

United Church of Christ held a nice service Sunday in spite of the weather conditions. Adult and Junior choir. Rev. Richard Barr preaching. A pot luck dinner followed the service and classes were held.

Larry Fox was voted in fire chief of Lovell.

North Woodstock

Mrs. Linda Fraser, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis and Linda Fraser were in Bethel Wednesday. Mrs. Davis visited with Mrs. Doris Fraser and Mrs. Esther Williamson while Mr. Davis and Linda were at Dr. Garbarini's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser were Saturday night dinner guests of Miss Susan Hathaway and Bruce Glines.

Sarah Chapman, Locke Mills, spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings.

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West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —
The Eleanor B. Forbes-Goodwill Group met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Lyndell Farr for an all day meeting.

Mrs. Gwen Ellingwood and Mike have returned home after vacationing in Florida, visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. William Stellhorn.

Miss Kathy Bacon has returned to her studies at the University of Vermont.

Miss Vicki Inman has returned to the U. of M., Orono.

Forward Fellowship will meet Monday, Jan. 23, for a 6 p. m. pot luck supper and meeting at the home of Beryl Bonney.

WEST BETHEL
CHILDREN'S CENTER

1/16/78
We are all doing very fine at the school, amid all the new surrounding snow. The kids really like sliding down all their new snow banks.

This week the children and the teachers are very busy. During activity period the children are seeing movies, making paper plate holders, playing with water paints, and the water table. The children are also helping our cook Linda this week by making some of their desserts. The teachers are attending four workshops this week sponsored by the Oxford County Community Services. We are all looking forward to them.

Our proud Star of the Week is Monica Buck. The children really enjoy being the Star of the Week.

Well, goodbye for now, and keep hoping for a good winter! Bette, Saundry, Colleen, Kim, Linda, Judi, and Donna.

Lunch Menu — Jan. 23 to Jan. 30
Monday: Fish sticks, peas and carrots, baked potato, biscuits, milk, fruit salad.

Tuesday: Meat loaf, green beans, pumpernickel bread, corn, fruit-Jello, milk.

Wednesday: Baked chicken, rice, chopped spinach, carrot sticks, tapioca pudding, milk.

Thursday: W. W. spaghetti w/

SCHOOL
LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. 44 — WEEK OF JAN. 23

Monday: American chop suey, green beans, frosted cake, bread and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken in gravy, mashed potato, peas, cranberry sauce, raisin muffin and butter, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburg cheese pizza, potato chips, corn, juice, fruit, milk.

Thursday: Fishburger, cabbage-pineapple salad, roasted peanuts, apricots, milk.

Friday: Homemade veg-beef stew, tomato juice, mixed desserts, hot cinnamon bun, milk.

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Rumford Point Fire Association building and lot across from the Rumford Point Post Office. Building is 12' x 24' on a solid cement slab. Lot has 18' frontage. All bids must be sealed and in the hands of the Secretary, Rumford Point Fire Assoc., Box 8, Rumford Point, Me. 04279 by 6:00 P. M., Monday, February 6, 1978. The Association reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

The Public Service cut two large balm Gilead and a tall spruce on the Fuller lot on Rt. 26 Thursday. One balm Gilead was hollow and several startled flying squirrels leaped about starting the cutters in return.

Tuesday, Jan. 17 a rainbow appeared in the eastern sky. The sun was shining and although a major storm was being predicted by the weather bureau, there was neither snow nor rain falling nor had there been for several hours.

The mail did not arrive Saturday. There had been a storm which included snow, rain and sleet which made traveling difficult all over the state.

The workers at the Balsams have been putting in more hours per week lately as there are rush orders.

Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Pottery classes are now being formed at the Friedman-Dort Studios. For more information call Faye Corrin at Bryant Pond 101.

At the Senior Citizens meeting on Feb. 2 there will be an exchange of unsigned Valentines.

Sympathy is extended to Rev. and Mrs. Hanson and Ellen on the death of his father, Arthur Hanson, Bradford.

The business meeting at the Baptist Church was cancelled until a later date.

Daughters of Veterans will meet at the home of Alice Hoyt on Monday, Jan. 23, for a supper and installation of officers.

Good News Club will meet at the "Back room" of the Baptist Church on Thursday (tonight), from 6 to 7 p. m. There will be stories, games and songs. Beth and JoAnn Hoyt are the leaders.

All school age children are invited.

meat sauce, tossed salad w/sprouts, pears, garlic bread, milk.

Friday: Spinach-cheese quiche, w. w. banana bread, carrots and peas, peaches, milk.

Monday: Beef tacos, lettuce, tomato and cheese, Spanish rice, vanilla pudding delight.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone who sent cards to me while I was in Stephens Memorial Hospital. Also the Bethel Gospel Center, P. H. Chadbourne, Tek Bearing of Auburn, and others for the lovely bouquets of flowers. Special thanks to my friends and relatives who prayed for my recovery and also to those who were so much help and comfort to my wife. God bless each one of you.

With love to all,
Donald Walker

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Hanover

— Pam Morton, Corres. —

Residents should remember to pick up dump stickers at the Town Office soon. These will be required on trucks by Feb. 1 and on cars by March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellingwood went to Lewiston Sunday as supper guests of their daughter, Connie.

Gail Worcester, accompanied by Dollie Pula of Rumford and Louise Horne of Dixfield flew to Las Vegas Friday to attend a hair dressing seminar and competition. They will return on Thursday night.

Pam Morton went to North Windham Sunday to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morton in connection with Independent Study Week at Rumford High School.

Some of the interests pursued by other Hanover students of Rumford High School during the week are mural painting, library cataloging, helping to teach physical education and cross-country skiing, wood carving, working in a clothing store, and attending classes at a college.

Danny, Peter and John Howe of Norbeck, Md., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Howe this week to enjoy some skiing.

Scott Ferguson and Peter Everett returned to their classes at Bowdoin College on Tuesday following their semester break.

Saturday's snow storm was welcomed by the town's ski enthusiasts. Many cross country skiers were out on the week end, and the Howard Pond Road became a sliding hill for the younger generation.

The Annual Meeting of the Rumford Point Congregational Church was held on Friday evening, about 35 members and their children enjoyed a hot dish supper before the business meeting. It was voted to hire Miss Patricia Moore as the pastor for the next year. Other business included accepting the Nominating Committee's slate of officers for the coming year, and discussion of needed improvements at the church and parsonage.

Brownie, Junior and Senior Girl Scouts are busy selling Girl Scout cookies this week. The final date for ordering them will be Jan. 21.

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CARD OF THANKS

A great big "thank you" to all the great people who helped us move our merchandise last Monday night (Jan. 9). We couldn't possibly have moved as much as fast as we did without a tremendous effort on everyone's behalf. We really appreciate it. Thank you.

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Greenwood City

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

On this Jan. 14 another week comes to a close, a week rich in small every day events as all weeks are for those who find delight in simple things.

Monday, however, wasn't an every day happening for which we are thankful. The day began gray and tight fisted. It was one of those freakish winter days. I noticed the black cloud bank in the east with the coming of light. In Maine, especially, the world is created brand new every morning. There is something to discover. The air was still and seemed to shimmer with unusual warmth.

Bare branches stood against dull tarnished skies. Gray drizzle slanted in from the east. Then the drizzle changed to rain, the calm to the howl of wind, wailing and whistling, fierce, pushings and buffeting, ghostly sighs under latched doors.

By night temperatures had dropped from the warm forties to the teens. Rain changed to snow and roads to ice.

Another storm came on Saturday but between times I walked and snowshoed.

There was a crystal splendor of light. The snow drenched with rain, froze again and was smooth and solid making the landscape look as if it had been dipped in a shining sea of ice. Another light snow on top made it all right to snowshoe on level, on the hills, no. I kept in the lower fields and some of the tree areas.

The air was pungently scented and the hemlocks whistled softly to themselves. The long limber boughs rose then dropped with a sigh. As I turned to leave them, there came from the pond a sinister crack which ran across like a whip of steel through the air; the voice of solid ice.

In a few moments I was in the open again. But just as I left I startled a partridge, then another, and another. They were the answer to the tracks which I had been wondering about. Their flight broke the somber silence of the forest.

Near an apple tree, still loaded with fruit two squirrels were busy. I wondered if they were two of the

five which visited my feeders on Monday.

Coming back by way of the Bulldozer Road, I found the road had been cut by a brook and there were little pools where the water had stopped to rest.

I had enjoyed the quiet and solitude, captured the view and soaked up the silence.

Then our second storm arrived on Friday. It came in the night with only the faintest whispers. A steady dropping of crystals soft and white in daylight but at night passing by the lights at the windows a continuous glitter. Each flake so delicate and light as it turned in the air. In the morning we looked out on a strange new landscape. Branches drooped and a smooth white stretch down the pond.

"The snow-white blanket lay regally
Around each plant, white and serene,
The hills and rocks were hidden
As if tucked beneath a dainty screen."

—Mamie Ozburn Odum

Moving in with the storm I had a flock of red poles and a flock of gold finches at the feeders. In the ash tree out front there were pine grosbeaks. When I first saw them assembling, the tree was loaded with seeds and snow was clinging to the clusters. The grosbeaks perched in several sections and began shelling out and eating the seeds. The rejected wings, which to me resemble tiny canoe paddles, floated down in showers giving the snow beneath a brownish tinge. The snow clinging to the twigs was quickly dislodged by the heavy birds. This flashed out in puffs like steam from many points. Looking through my binoculars their colors among the soft

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Bethel United Methodist Church
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Organist, Miss Susan Hathaway
Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:
10:35 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:35 a. m. Sunday School.
Nursery during worship service.
Saturday: 7:00-8:30 p. m. Youth
Fellowship at the Parsonage.

West Parish
Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel

Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Min. of Music
Sunday: 10:00 a. m. Morning
worship. (Child care available dur-
ing the service.) 11:00-12 noon.
Discussion group in Garland Cha-
pel.

Wednesday: 3:15 - 4:30 p. m.
Church school for young people
in grades K through 6. All are
welcome.

Thursday: 7:30 p. m. Choir Re-
hearsal in the sanctuary.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
Rte. 26 Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: Sat-
urday, 4:30 p. m.
Rectory: 29 Paris St., Norway,
telephone, 743-2606.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street
Rev. Donald Smith, Pastor
Parsonage, Bridge Street
Phone 824-3347

Cast all your care upon God;
for He cares for you.

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages in-
cluding Adults), 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Nazarene Youth meetings, 5 p. m.

Evening Worship, 6 p. m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting, 6:30.
Choir Practice, 8:00.

For transportation or informa-
tion to any service call the Par-
sonage, 824-3347.

Chapel of Christ the King
Episcopal
Sundays at 7:45 p. m., Bethel
Savings Bank.

Bethel Gospel Center
at the Old Fellows Hall
Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.
Monday:
Youth, Men's and Women's
Groups, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service,
7:00 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, Wednesday,
7 p. m.

Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
Locke Mills Union Church

Rev. David Wuori
Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist
Church services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

8:15, Sunday School
10:30, Morning Worship Service.
6:00, Young Peoples' Meeting;
Junior Young Peoples, grades 4-
7; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.
7:00, Evening Service.

Wednesday, Choir Practice,
11:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.
Woodstock Seventh-day
Adventist Church

Pastor: Elder William Menshausen
Saturday:
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30.
Prayer meeting: Tuesday even-
ing, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister

Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.
LRY, 6 p. m.

Community Church
(Full Gospel—
Interdenominational)
East Andover Road
Rumford Center

Dr. J. Philip Jackson, Pastor
Wednesday, 7 p. m. Deeper Life
Bible Study.

Saturday, 7 p. m. Prayer Meet-
ing.

Sunday, 10 a. m. Worship. Holy
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7 p. m. Evangelistic and Healing.
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tism."

Newry Community Church
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-
ney Hanscom, Pastor. Robert Du-
ran, Pianist.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at
3:15 p. m.

Upton Mountain View Church
Fundamental Evangelistic
and Missionary

Sunday Worship Service, 2:30 p.
m.

Sunday School at 1 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday, at 7
p. m.

All welcome.

Rumford Point
Congregational Church
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Robert Parent,

Supt. of Church School
Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.

Faith Bible Church
Rumford Corner
Pastor, Bob Colby

Preaching the Finished Work
of Jesus Christ.

Services:
Sunday, 2:30 p. m.
Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.

Telstar R. H. S. News

Student Council Reports

Mr. Don Bean, of the Commu-
nity Work Council discussed the
possibility of the Student Council
helping him obtain information
from the student body. The Work
Council is interested in what types
of jobs young people in this area
are interested in. Some of the
council members volunteered to
help Mr. Bean.

A motion was made and passed
to re-consider the decision the
Council made about where to put
the money from the juke box.
The Council had voted to put the
money into their main fund. The
Council will vote again on this
subject next Tuesday, third peri-
od. All interested in voicing their
opinion are free to come.

Calvary Congregational Church
Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible
centered lessons; Classes for all
ages; Adult class.

Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.
First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover

Rev. David Wuori
Pastor
Linda Burnham, Organist
Leatrice Myhrall, Music Director
Eleanor G. Tracy

Church School Superintendent
Bertha Summerton
Assistant Superintendent

Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a.
m.

Sunday School through Grade
9, 11 a. m.

Tuesday: Choir rehearsal, 7:30
p. m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,
1:30 p. m.

Spalding Memorial Chapel
Wilson's Mills

Rev. Delmer A. Parker, Jr.
Christian Worship Service, Sun-
day, 10 a. m.

OXFORD COUNTY
UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor

Albany Congregational Church
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
East Stoneham Congregational

Sunday:
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship
9:00 a. m. Church School.

North Waterford Congregational
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

10:30 a. m. Church School.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Church-
es, the Lesson-Sermon read from
the desk is the same. The public is
cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Jan. 22, Subject—Truth.
Golden Text—Psalm 88:11: Teach
me thy way O Lord; I will walk
in thy truth.

First Church of Christ Scientist
corner of Main and Tenth Streets,
Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morn-
ing services at 11 a. m., and Sun-
day School at the same hour for
pupils up to the age of 20 years.

The Wednesday evening meeting is
at 7:45, including testimonies of
healing.

**Christian Science Society, Nor-
way, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.**
Sunday: Services and Sunday
School at 10:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening service at
7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of
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Sunday:
Primordial, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organi-
zation) 9 a. m.

Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45
p. m.

M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

Holy Resurrection
Orthodox Church
Rev. Michael Westenberg
Petrograd Street
Berlin, New Hampshire 03570

Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Ves-
pers

Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Divine Litur-
gy.

Feast days announced.

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H., with a Strategic Air Command
unit is Air Force Staff Sergeant
Wade A. Herrick, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Lawrence Herrick of North
Waterford.

Sgt. Herrick, a security special-
ist, was previously assigned at
Lackland AFB, Tex.

The sergeant is a 1964 graduate
at Oxford Hills High School, Nor-
way.

FMHA CONTRACTORS MEETING AT SOUTH PARIS, JAN. 26

Elwyn R. Morrow, County Super-
visor for the Farmers Home Ad-
ministration office at South Paris
announced that a Contractor's
Meeting will be held at the new
Agricultural Building in South
Paris on Thursday, Jan. 26, at 1
p. m.

This meeting will be held to
discuss energy policy require-
ments on FMHA home loans.
James Sawyer, FMHA architect
from the Orono State Office will
speak along with Orono staff mem-
bers Fred Jagels, Engineer and
George Fowler, Rural Housing

Specialist. Mr. Morrow invites all
local carpenters and building con-
tractors to attend this meeting.

RECEIVING SERVICE MEDAL

—Master Sergeant Loren Young,
(left) son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert
S. Cole, Locke Mills, was recently
decorated by Col. Harold J. M.
Williams Jr., Commander of the

380th Bomb Wing, at Plattsburg
AFB, New York. This was the
second award of the Meritorious
Service Medal received by Sgt.
Young, who is currently the First
Sergeant for the 380th Bomb Wing
Headquarters Squadron.

From Augusta

by R. L. Bergeron

January 13, 1978
In this political year as declared
candidates jockey for position and
many undecided ones test the
waters to see what they should do
there is more talk about the Gov-
ernor's political plans than any
others. There are some who will
hold out until the final date of
April 1 before they actually make
their decision. Not because they
do not know whether they want to
run but because they do not know
who else is going to be in the
race. They will wait until the last
minute to see if a candidate de-
clares that may give them some
trouble.

One of those who started feel-
ing the waters this past week was
John Jannace of Falmouth, the
Political businessman who was
recently acquitted by a Kennebec
County jury of bribery and con-
spiracy charges. Jannace says he
may well run as an independent
candidate against Senator William
Hathaway and Congressman Cohen.

He has not made any final decision
because he says he does not know
what Gov. Longley will do. Some
political forecasters feel Longley
will run for that same seat and
although Jannace has never run
for a political office he is smart
enough to know he should not get
into a duel with Longley who ap-
pears to have more support than
anyone in recent memory.

Even the "professional" politi-
cians admit that whatever Longley
decides to run for he could probab-
ly win. Even though they do not
agree with Longley's political
philosophy they say he has more
support and has more political
know-how than most of those
"pros".

In fact James E. Longley probab-
ly has more political options
open to him than anyone. Not only
does he hold in his hand his own
political future but also that of
other aspiring figures. Take Sen.
William Hathaway, one big prob-
lem he has is the issue of Dick-
ey. Lincoln Hathaway stands in favor
of the project, yet the polls show
most Mainers against it and some
close to the Senator feel he would
like to get out from under this
issue. Longley holds the key. With
a stroke of the pen he could let
the entire proposal go. He has no
limit and could use this weapon
in any political move he might de-
cide to make.

What are the options? Governor,
U. S. Senate, or back to business?
If he runs for Governor most polls
here under the dome will admit
privately he could win handsome-
ly. At the end of another four
years as the state's chief executive
he could then run for Sen. Mus-
kie's seat. He could run for the
Senate and establish a national
base for an independent party
movement he so often strongly
supports. Many here say if he
splits Cohen and Hathaway he could
win that seat easily.

No matter what you think of
Longley you can not be against
his philosophy—tax rebates, tax
cut, a decrease in State spend-
ing, on and on goes the list. Longley
takes on the giants and wins in
the eyes of his public. Since he
has been in office he has faced the
lion squarely. It was evidenced ag-
ain last week when Longley called

423 STUDENTS COMPLETE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS AT UMO

A total of 423 students complet-
ed requirements for undergraduate
and graduate degrees at the Uni-
versity of Maine at Orono follow-
ing the fall semester, 1977, final
examinations in December. The
degree candidates came from all
16 Maine counties, 13 other states
and four foreign countries.

Although there are no formal
mid-winter commencement exercis-
es at UMO, all those completing
degree requirements in December
may attend and take part in the
May 20 graduation ceremonies.

Among the degree candidates
are: Charles David Billings, Nor-
way; Norman Arthur Cormier,
West Peru; Elizabeth Ann Des-
roches, Rumford; Bruce Stephen
Fontaine, Rumford; Stanley Rus-
sell Howe, Bethel; Heidi Jill Hunt-
er, Fryeburg; Susan Frances Loh-
rop, Fryeburg; Merrylyn Alice
Sawyer, Waterford; David Kim
Zamboni, Rumford.

Specialist, Mr. Morrow invites all
local carpenters and building con-
tractors to attend this meeting.

TELSTAR SKIERS WIN BOYS AND GIRLS COMPETITION WITH LEBANON

Laconia, N. H., took individual
first places in both the boys' and
girls' events of a giant slalom
hosted by Telstar Regional High
School last Friday, but the host
Rebels won both ends of the team
competition. The giant slalom was
held on the Sunday Punch Trail
of the Sunday River Ski Area.

Terry Young finished with a
combined 69.0 seconds for her
two runs to win the girls' com-
petition while John Weeks compil-
ed a time of 63.2 to take the boys'.

Bonnie Dennis, Telstar, was sec-
ond in the girls event while Steve
Weeks, brother of John was sec-
ond in the boys'.

Team scores for Telstar 95.55,
Laconia 90.46, and Hebron Acad-
emy 89.97 in the girls', Telstar
98.87, Laconia 96.25, and Hebron
93.01 in the boys'.

Girls: 1. Terry Young (Lac) 69.0;
2. Bonnie Dennis (Tel) and Gail
Goodwin (Heb) 73.0; 3. Rachel
Mills (Tel) 75.0; 4. Paula Mills (Tel)
75.8; 5. Lisa (Lac) 76.5; 6. Car-
ol Gorwin (Heb) 78.7; 7. Ginny
Hudson (Tel) 79.7; 8. Cathy O'Don-
nell (Tel) 80.7; 9. Kara Flynn
(Tel) 82.0.

Boys: 1. John Weeks (Lac) 63.2;
2. Steve Weeks (Lac) 63.5; 3. Ted-
dy Reed (Tel) 63.8; 4. Steve Mor-
gan (Tel) and Mike Rosenberg (Tel)
64.0; 6. Dick Chase (Tel) and Eric
Meyers (Lac) 65.6; 8. Jay McFar-
land (Heb) 67.1; 9. Jim Wilner
(Heb) 67.3; 10. Steve Cross (Tel)
67.4.

YOUR HEADACHE HAS A MEANING

Dr. Stephen Garbarini

Of all the so-called triumphs of
the pharmaceutical industry, the
"headache remedy" is the most
dangerous to life and health. At
times our government had to pro-
hibit distribution of certain head-
ache remedies for that precise
reason.

A headache remedy covers up a
symptom, while the trouble caus-
ing the symptom gets worse, often
until a serious condition develops.
ops.

There are many types of head-
aches and some have simple ex-
planations, such as over-eating and
drinking, etc. Any other headache,
particularly if lingering or recur-
ring, is a warning signal.

Intermediate causes of head-
aches are many. They may include
digestive, eliminative, kidney and
heart troubles, eye problems
(chiefly eye strain), infected ton-
sils, nerve pressure from spinal
conditions, and sometimes, though
rare, brain trouble itself.

Headaches can, of course, result
from many conditions, but re-
search has revealed that a com-
mon cause of headaches can be
traced to the area of the cervical
vertebrae (spinal bones of the
neck).

Because the neck is extremely
mobile, there is constant danger
of displacement of one or more of
these bones, which may press to-
gether and irritate the cervical
nerves.

Migraines are caused by an ir-
ritation of these nerves and result
in throbbing pain and also a stea-
dy, dull pain in the "temple" area.
Through reflex action, this condi-
tion also may result in stomach or
liver pains, nausea, vomiting, fast
heart beat, and other internal
upsets.

Certain jobs also cause unusual
stress on your neck. Athletes,
mechanics, farmers, housewives,
people who work with their hands
and twist or maintain unnatural
positions are likely to have cer-
vical nerve irritation.

In no condition will the head-
ache naturally be eliminated until
the cause has been determined
and the condition which caused it
has been corrected.

Do not delude yourself that your
trouble can be corrected with a
"bottle of pills". Pain of any sort
is an alarm which should not be
covered up and ignored.

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WOMEN'S GROUP OF CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH TO MEET JAN. 25

The Women's Group of the West
Parish Congregational Church will
hold its regular meeting Jan. 25
from 9:00-12:00 a. m. in Garland
Chapel. There will be devotions
and discussion of relevant business
from 9-10 a. m. At 10 a. m. Jim
Chandler and two students from
Elan in Waterford will present a
program dealing with both therapy
and personal experiences at Elan.
This program will be open to the
public, and anyone interested is
encouraged to attend.

WALKING WITH JESUS CHRIST

These nights—so crisp and clear
enabled us to see the new moon
and stars in all their beauty shi-
ning onto the fields and mountains.
Should the clouds permit, we will
see a full moon with the stars re-
flecting the rays of the sun—
which in its own brilliance pro-
vides the light for our daily activi-
ties by chasing away the night
time darkness.

The Bible tells us in Genesis 1:
16-18: "And God made two great
lights; the greater light to rule
the day, and the lesser light to
rule the night: He made the stars
also—and God set them in the
firmament of the heaven to give
light upon the earth—and to rule
over the day and over the night,
and to divide the light from the
darkness: and God saw that it
was good."

How wonderfully did God create
the world and its heavens. How-
ever, like the clouds that darken the
sky, man did choose darkness rat-
her than light—by rejecting God
—choosing Satan—"the prince of
darkness." (Gen. 2:5-13). Paul in
Romans 1:21 says "and their
foolish hearts were darkened."

How is it that man should want
to love darkness rather than light,
preferring to go it "his way" using
every means at his disposal to
"work" his way through life. Trials
and tribulations are heaped upon
him in an endless path of frustra-
tion—leaving us powerless to find
a lasting peace and happiness.

We may ask: "What can I do?"
Is there a way out?—Is there
hope? The Bible says yes! The
first chapter of John tells us,
verses 1 through 4: "that in the
beginning Jesus Christ was the
Word and the Word was God, all
things were made by Him—in Him
was life and the life, was the
light of men—the light shineth
but the darkness did not compre-
hend it." Vs. 9: "Jesus was the
true Light, that as many as receiv-
ed Him gave Him power to be-
come the sons of God—even them
that believe on His name—that Je-
sus was made flesh—dwelt among
us full of grace and truth."

Therefore we can call on God,
in the name of Jesus Christ—to de-
liver us from darkness, sin, and
shame, to make us whole—to ac-
cept Christ as our Lord and sav-
ior—not according to "our works"
but by faith believing. Romans
1:5 "Therefore being justified by
faith, we have peace with God
through our Lord Jesus Christ."

So, as the sun is to divide the
light from darkness, Jesus Christ
is the "Light" that cuts through
the darkness and as the Bible
states "lighteth every man" we
add: that calls upon Him in truth.

Rev. 2:28: "and he that over-
cometh and keepeth my works un-
to the end"—vs. 28 "I will give
him the morning star." What tre-
mendous meaning this has as we
continue in Rev. 22:16 when Je-
sus says: "I am the root and the
offspring of David, and the bright
and morning star." Chapter 21:23
"And the city (Heaven) hath no
need of the sun, neither the moon
to shine in it, for the glory of
God and brighten it, and the Lamb
(Jesus) is the 'Light' thereof." Vs.
21: "The grace of our Lord Jesus
Christ be with you all, Amen."

Fred K. Werner
Bethel Gospel Center

SENIOR CITIZEN AT MT. ABRAM

The Senior Ci-
zen at Mt. Abram
Mt. Abram Bas-
regular monthly
meeting, Jan. 11
opened with Pr-
di presiding, vi-
cers seated: Vi-
gelo Onofrio; A-
Treasurer; Ade-

SENIOR CITIZENS MEET AT MT. ABRAM

The Senior Citizens met at the Mt. Abram Base Lodge for their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 11. The meeting was opened with President Muriel Faudt presiding, with the new officers seated: Vice President, Angelo Onofrio; Elizabeth Lord, Treasurer; Adeline Dexter, Secre-

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CUB SCOUT PINWOOD DERBY HELD AT GOULD

Over 150 parents, Cubs, friends and families were present in the William Bingham Gymnasium at Gould Academy for the annual 566 Pinewood Derby. Forty-two Cubs, with help and encouragement from their Dads, built seven inch cars of all shapes and designs. They raced in three-car heats in double elimination competition.

Winners in the Wolf division were Bryan Kellogg, first; Toby Walker, second; and Mark Wilson, third. Bears winners: Jay Hastings, first; Mike Jodrey, second, and Scott Sumner, third; and the Webelos winners were Todd Kellogg, first; Jon Ness, second, and Keith Wight, third.

The final two races established the four fastest Pack 566 cars and they will compete in the Snowshoe District Pinewood Derby on March 11 with District winners being eligible for the State Finals in Scarborough April 15. The fastest cars were: first, Bryan Kellogg; second, Jay Hastings; third, Todd Kellogg, and fourth, Toby Walker.

In addition, the cars were judged by a panel for best design, workmanship and originality. Winners were Bruce Barth, first; Toby Walker, second, and Mike McGuire, 3rd, with the first place winner also eligible for the run-off in Rumford.

All 42 Cubs should be commended for the many hours of hard work and effort they put into each car and for their competitive spirit and fair play exhibited during the Derby.

The next scheduled Pack 566 event will be the annual Blue and Gold Banquet to be held Tuesday, Feb. 21, in the Telstar Cafeteria. Watch for details in the Citizen and from your Den leader.

MOMENTS IN THE BIBLE Paul the apostle wrote to the Philippians, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" (4:13). This makes me think of the increasing number of courses being offered concerning "Positive Thinking". Many lectures, discussions, and even songs that I have listened to or been involved in are directed toward convincing people that they will be a lot more successful and happy if they could but learn to "Think Positive-ly".

Paul must also have been a positive thinker for he said "I can do all things..." However, I know many other people who live by this philosophy and yet it seems there is quite a difference between their feelings and Paul's.

Positive thinking, for many people is really nothing more than a psychological build-up of their self-image which is fed by enthusiasm of speech and action. This leads them to an emotional high point at which they can honestly feel that they can do anything just because they are who they are.

Mind you now, I'm not against Positive Thinking but Paul's statement "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me". In other words there seems to be a great difference between feeling that we can do all things just because we are someone and being able to do all that God sets before us through His strength.

I believe in Positive thinking. I also believe in God and if I had to make a choice between relying on Positive thinking or my reliance upon God, I would have to say with Paul "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

Rev. Don Smith, Pastor Church of the Nazarene

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CUB SCOUT PINWOOD DERBY HELD AT GOULD

Over 150 parents, Cubs, friends and families were present in the William Bingham Gymnasium at Gould Academy for the annual 566 Pinewood Derby. Forty-two Cubs, with help and encouragement from their Dads, built seven inch cars of all shapes and designs. They raced in three-car heats in double elimination competition.

Winners in the Wolf division were Bryan Kellogg, first; Toby Walker, second; and Mark Wilson, third. Bears winners: Jay Hastings, first; Mike Jodrey, second, and Scott Sumner, third; and the Webelos winners were Todd Kellogg, first; Jon Ness, second, and Keith Wight, third.

The final two races established the four fastest Pack 566 cars and they will compete in the Snowshoe District Pinewood Derby on March 11 with District winners being eligible for the State Finals in Scarborough April 15. The fastest cars were: first, Bryan Kellogg; second, Jay Hastings; third, Todd Kellogg, and fourth, Toby Walker.

In addition, the cars were judged by a panel for best design, workmanship and originality. Winners were Bruce Barth, first; Toby Walker, second, and Mike McGuire, 3rd, with the first place winner also eligible for the run-off in Rumford.

All 42 Cubs should be commended for the many hours of hard work and effort they put into each car and for their competitive spirit and fair play exhibited during the Derby.

The next scheduled Pack 566 event will be the annual Blue and Gold Banquet to be held Tuesday, Feb. 21, in the Telstar Cafeteria. Watch for details in the Citizen and from your Den leader.

MOMENTS IN THE BIBLE Paul the apostle wrote to the Philippians, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" (4:13). This makes me think of the increasing number of courses being offered concerning "Positive Thinking". Many lectures, discussions, and even songs that I have listened to or been involved in are directed toward convincing people that they will be a lot more successful and happy if they could but learn to "Think Positive-ly".

Paul must also have been a positive thinker for he said "I can do all things..." However, I know many other people who live by this philosophy and yet it seems there is quite a difference between their feelings and Paul's.

Positive thinking, for many people is really nothing more than a psychological build-up of their self-image which is fed by enthusiasm of speech and action. This leads them to an emotional high point at which they can honestly feel that they can do anything just because they are who they are.

Mind you now, I'm not against Positive Thinking but Paul's statement "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me". In other words there seems to be a great difference between feeling that we can do all things just because we are someone and being able to do all that God sets before us through His strength.

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—Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres.—

New winter hours at the Andover Public Library are: Tuesday, 1:30-4:30; Thursday, 1:30-4:30; Saturday, 1:30-4:30; no night time hours until spring. Mrs. Evelyn Bell is the new substitute librarian.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thurston will be celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary on Jan. 18. Friends wishing to send cards, their address is 80 Rittenhouse Terrace, Springfield, Mass. 01101.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston are receiving congratulations on the birth of their third child, Jan. 12, and their third son. He has been named Kurt Allen and weighed in at 9 lbs. 8 oz. He joins two big brothers, Danny Lee, 8 years old, and Jon Michael, 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Humphrey, Manchester, N. H., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended the Colby Roberts family and the George Barlow family in the sudden passing of a loved one. Many former residents of Andover and relatives were in town Thursday to attend the funeral of Mona Roberts.

Mrs. Ira Gammon, Sr., fell at her home Monday, Jan. 9, and broke her hip. She is a patient at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dolloff have received an address from their youngest son: Pvt. David E. Dolloff 005-03-5351, Co. A Second Battalion, Platoon #3, 1st Signal Training Brigade, Fort Gordon, Georgia 30905. Maybe some of his friends would like to write him. I'm sure he'd appreciate it.

Mrs. Paula Putman is filling in as teachers aid while Mrs. Bode-mer is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Campbell, Larry Campbell, Auburn, Maine, and Mrs. Richard Guerette, Sabatius, called on his sister, Mrs. Walter Jodrey on Thursday, Jan. 12.

On Friday, Jan. 13, The Andover Friday Club met at Mrs. Geraldine Marston's with 15 members and two guests present. The Club voted to give the Library a sum of money for books. The afternoon was spent in planning future programs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greenlow have returned from the Rumford Community Hospital. Mrs. Roberta Haney of Roselle, Ill. is visiting and helping out for her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Merrill were in Connecticut last week end taking Mrs. Jeanne Adams home.

Russell Palmer, Andover, and Mike Brooks, Bethel, attended the Nansen Ski Club's 80 meter international jumping tournament at Berlin, N. H., Jan. 15, sponsored by the Eastern Ski Association. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Palmer and family attended also.

Joel Peaslee, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Peaslee, is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Rex Thurston and infant son, Kurt Allen, returned home from Rumford Community Hospital Sunday, Jan. 15.

Mrs. Patricia Harrington of Kamloup, B. C., arrived Jan. 13, called here by the sudden death of her father, George Barlow, Jan. 11.

Mrs. Wilbur Chenerly entered Rumford Community Hospital last week.

Sunday, Jan. 22, is Family Sunday at Andover First Congregational Church with music by the Senior and Junior Choirs and a sermon on "Christian Unity."

Just a reminder, choir practice is held every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Every Wednesday at 7 p. m. Church School meets. No Standing Committee meeting this month.

The Ladies Aid of the First Congregational Church Food Sale held last Saturday was a success despite weather and road conditions.

Plans are being made for the monthly church supper Jan. 28 at the Christian Education Building. Robert Hutchins cut his leg while chopping wood on Monday requiring stitches.

On Wednesday, Jan. 11, the Ladies Aid of the First Congregational Church of Andover held their Annual Meeting at the C. E. B. at 12 o'clock. There were 18 members and Rev. Wuori present who enjoyed a delicious pot luck luncheon. The present officers will

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serve for another year: President, Dolly Jones; 1st vice president, Marion Bodwell; 2nd vice president, Margaret Learned; Secretary, Thelma Clark; Treasurer, Dorothy Campbell. It was decided to have morning meetings for a while. The next one will be Wednesday, Jan. 25 at 9:30 a. m. at the C. E. B.

Following is a list of Ladies Aid Food Sale Committees and dates for 1978: Jan. 14, Anne Fox, chairman, Dolly Jones, Madeline Wentzell; Feb. 11, Jean Dunning, chairman, Jerry Marston, Frances Poor, Roberta Learned; March 11, Thelma Clark, chairman, Josephine Poor, Margaret Learned, Marie Lang; April 8, Marie Nuppula, chairman, Florence Hall, Alma Hewey, Dorothy Lang; May 13, Evelyn Bell, chairman, Violet Swain, Bertha Summerton, Ivy Thurston; June 10, Betsy Mixer, chairman, Dolly Jones, Dorothy Mills, Evelyn Wuori; July 15, Dorothy Campbell, chairman, Dorothy Greenlow, Beverly Swan, Louise Mills; Aug. 12, Country Church Summer Sale; Sept. 9, Marion Bodwell, chairman, Minnie Akers, Beatrice Dresser, Gertrude Percival; Oct. 12, Birthday Supper; Nov. 11, Country Church Christmas Sale; Dec. 16, volunteers are needed for the December Food Sale.

Ladies Aid Church Fair Committees for 1978: Greens Table, Betsy Mixer, chairman, Gertrude Percival, Jerry Marston, Jean Dunning, Frances Poor, Roberta Learned, Betsy Fisher, Virginia Daigle; Hand Crafts Table, Louise Mills, chairman, Beatrice Dresser, Judy Richardson, Marie Nuppula, Florence Hall, Beverly Swan, Dolly Jones; Apron Table, Alma Hewey, Thelma Clark, co-chairmen, Madeline Wentzell, Ivy Thurston, Minnie Akers, Louise Dunn; Toy Table, Millie Hodson and Evelyn Bell, co-chairmen, Marion Bodwell, Margaret Learned, Roberta Learned, Lucy Arnold, Marie Lang, Mary Learned; Knitting Table, Dorothy Campbell and Dorothy Greenlow, co-chairmen, Dorothy Lang, Josephine Poor, Bertha Jodrey, Ulfred Tucker; Quilts, Marion Wentzell, chairman, Madeline Wentzell, Paula Putnam, Alma Hewey; Trash and Treasure Table, Marie Lang, chairman, Florence Kraft, Thelma Clark; Refreshments, Anne Fox, Madeline Wentzell, Dolly Jones; Decorating, Dorothy Campbell, Dorothy Lang, Betsy Mixer, Evelyn Bell; Foods Table, summer chairman, Trudy Akers, winter chairman, Florence Michaud, Laura Learned, Florence Sidelinger, Judy Richardson, Leatrice Myshrahl.

Reaction to the Governor's plan

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Karen L. Brown

Jan. 15, 1978

Among the most important issues to be decided in this legislative session is the development of a new school funding law. Since the Uniform Property Tax was repealed in referendum on Dec. 6, the Legislature must now develop a new school subsidy formula to fund educational programs during the coming fiscal year.

In an attempt to develop an alternative to the UPT, Gov. Longley has proposed LD 2022, An Act Relating to the Funding of Education as a new School Subsidy Law. Under the Governor's proposal the State still assumes at least 50% of the annually established basic cost of public education and the local communities, depending upon their ability to raise funds through the property tax, would be responsible for the remaining 50%.

The Governor's bill calls for the distribution of state aid to each school unit in an amount to be determined by what he has called the "subsidy index". The "subsidy index" is simply a property tax mill rate which, if applied to all taxable property in Maine communities at 100% state valuation, would yield no more than 50% of the basic cost of education for the year in which the appropriation is made. The "subsidy index" would be used only as a basis for determining the level of State assistance each school unit would receive. Any unit which could raise more than their local school budget at the "subsidy index" rate would receive no State assistance. In addition, the "local leeway" provision has been continued, which allows any school unit to raise additional funds at the local level.

Aside from technical changes in determining educational costs and in local budgetary procedures, the major difference between the Governor's proposal and the current law is that the property tax at the local level is an optional tax. If a school unit does not choose to raise the local share of their education costs, they may do so without penalty. Since the local share to be raised from the property tax is optional, the controversial "pay-in" feature of the current law would be eliminated. The Governor's bill is essentially identical to a bill introduced last session by House Republican Leader Linwood Palmer, Nobleboro.

Reaction to the Governor's plan

10 YEARS AGO

Sixty-five eighth graders from the Crescent Park School visited the Maine Legislature during its special session.

The Church of the Open Bible purchased a building lot in Skillington.

The Western Maine Art Association held its annual meeting at Poland Spring. Mrs. George Bowhay of Bethel was the group's president.

There was a federal grant in the amount of \$44,587 announced to pay half the cost of developing nearly 50 acres in Grafton State Park.

Mrs. Melva Willard was nominated to be principal of the Locke Mills School, succeeding Mrs. Willard.

There has been mixed, but most legislators are currently awaiting more information and data on the Governor's alternative before making final judgement. There has been some concern expressed about the plan in regard to the fact that the State would assume its maximum obligation without a similar obligation or commitment at the local level. Other concerns have been expressed in regard to the Governor's long-range plans on funding teachers retirement, and certain proposed changes in local budgetary procedures. However, in general, it appears that the Governor's proposal will provide a fine starting point for serious discussion in developing the fairest possible school funding law.

The committee on Energy, of which I am a member, held two public hearings this week. On Tuesday we had a Seminar and public hearing on wood and solar energy to review Federal, State and local energy policy, and wood energy technology and the marketing potential. On Thursday the public hearing was on small-scale hydroelectric development and public transportation alternatives.

According to the Army Corp of Engineers there are 439 dams currently in existence in Maine. It has been estimated that there are 220 of those that could be immediately developed as viable hydro plants. These could be developed as a partial substitute for the Dickey-Lincoln Dam project.

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ma Jackson who resigned in December, 1967.

Deaths: Mrs. Etta Bartlett, Harold C. Spinney, Ernest R. Grover.

20 YEARS AGO

Rudolph Weninger, native of Germany, touring the United States observing American education, was a three weeks guest at Gould Academy. He was a teacher of German, geography and history at Nuremberg, Bavaria.

Fluoridation of Bethel water was recommended by the PTA and Health Council. Dr. Arthur Easton, D. M. D., spoke in detail on the subject of fluoridation and its benefits.

Dr. Thaddeus Kopeck, D. O., opened offices on Main Street in Bryant Pond.

Miss Suzanne Stowell (Mrs. Keith Bartlett), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell, Jr., West Bethel, received her cap at the Massachusetts General Hospital School of Nursing.

30 YEARS AGO

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Bethel, was a candidate for County Attorney in Franklin County. Finances available for the PTA hot lunch program in Bethel schools Jan. 8-March 21 inclusive were: lunch payments, \$216.90; U SDA claim, \$196.20; local donations, \$172.71.

40 YEARS AGO

Thirty-eight men were employed on the WPA road project at Northwest Bethel.

A temperature of 25° below zero was reported from several places. Deaths: Willard H. Mason, Stanley Brooks.

50 YEARS AGO

The dam on Mill Brook for the skating rink was completed. Parker Conner built a 14x18 foot addition to his garage for a showroom.

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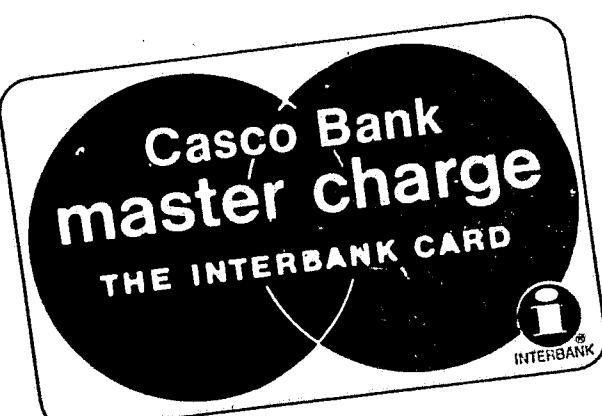
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West Bethel

—Mrs. Lona G.

Most everyone week end blow out after the blizzard. There was as much as 20" of this last storm.

January around 10 degrees partly overcast. The weather in Florida and some states; also in Canada a letter from said quite a bit where they live day people were suits and perhaps sweaters. They were planning a day in Florida, attended last year.

Pleasant Valley the January meeting on the 26th. Supper meeting at the people of were sorry to hear of Delmont Hardin Delmont was a former resident of West Bethel, a young boy. He family lived here years before moved. Our sympathy and family, his other relatives at Mrs. LaChance who spent a few weeks in Kneeland has gone where she has ended. Reginald Glibert turn to work this the U. S. Forest Service a short layoff.

Randall Glibert work last week illness. He works Co., Bethel as a driver.

There are not machines seen in year, as in past week. It isn't lack of snow too much and have opened. One cut into the woods last Davis' and my plow with trails to several been used but a past winters from machines in one pile that trail.

Mrs. Carla Ber Tuesday morning 10 days in Denmark.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF THE BUREAU OF THE Bethel Savings and Loan Association, Oxford County, Maine, pursuant to the Bank Act, 33 for approval of a branch office on Main Street, Bethel, Maine, as provided in O-B-25, upon receipt of a reasonable interested party. The accept written comments for hearing the February 10, 1978.

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Several from here attended the
Memorial Service of Elliott Cum-
mings at Norway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nelson were
given a reception at the town hall
Saturday night in honor of their
marriage. They were married at
North Lovell Dec. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Stevens of
Boston were visitors at their farm
here Saturday. They also visited
me in the afternoon.

Cheryl and Sharon Nelson of
Boston visited their parents over
the week end and attended the
wedding reception of their brother.

Donald Files of Melrose, Mass.,
is staying at his camp for a few
days and visiting relatives while
here.

Mrs. Sylvia Judkins of South
Paris was a caller in town Wed-
nesday.

Dale Brown is on the sick list.

Newry**Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres.**

The Newry Youth Group met at
Rodney Hanson's Saturday after-
noon for outdoor fun followed by
a pizza party. Present were Matt-
ew, Thomas and Scott Wight,
Wendy and Kenneth Davis, Angel
Wheeler, Nancy and Brian Han-
com and the Brown girls, neigh-
bors of the Hanscoms.

Dan Riley and Pat Roy, Milan,
N. H., visited Mr. and Mrs. Nor-
man Tully Saturday.

The Newry Ladies Extension
Group will meet at Sue Wight's
on Monday, Jan. 23, at 7:30. June
Swan will speak on the diet work-
shop and Ethelyn Wight will
demonstrate making Valentine
favors.

Sue Wight has been named to
the Dean's List for the first se-
mester at U.M. Portland-Gorham.

Thomas Wight returned to Bow-
doin College Sunday after spend-
ing the Christmas recess with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wight.

East Bethel**Mrs. David Foster, Corres.**

Edward Hastings returned to
Dorchester, Mass., Friday after
visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe
for several days.

Fred Haines hopes to be home
some time this week from the
Rumford Community Hospital
where he has been a patient for
several days.

Mrs. Leona Curtis, Mrs. Agnes
Haines, Mrs. Peggy Coolidge, Mrs.
Floribel Haines, Mrs. Maud Dan-
forth and Mrs. Lillian Bartlett at-
tended the Senior Citizens at Mt.
Abram Wednesday.

Mrs. Leona Curtis, Mrs. Maud
Danforth and Mrs. Floribel Haines
went to Rumford on the Minibus
Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball at-
tended the dance at the American
Legion Hall Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andre Bernier and
children, Ryan and Danielle, were
supper guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Paul Kimball Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford
Corner was a luncheon guest of
Mrs. David Foster Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and
children, Denise and David, had
supper with Mrs. David Foster
Thursday.

Magalloway & WILSON'S MILLS**Mrs. Bertha West, Corres.**

There was no school kept last
Monday due to the rain and bad
traveling conditions. Our teachers,
Mr. Teal and Miss Cartright reside
in Rangeley.

Tuesday Donna Glover substitut-
ed teaching for Mr. Teal as he had
to be away.

Sunny but a very cold wind
here this Monday morning.

Thursday the Home Extension
members met at the hall as usual.
They are working on a quilt.

Seaman Wayne Littlehale, who
has been home on leave has re-
turned to his base in California.
He then will embark for an island
in the Indian Ocean where he will
be stationed for two years train-
ing. We all wish him the best of
luck.

Spe. 4 John Sweatt has been
home on leave from a Georgia
base and with his wife and two
children of Colebrook, visited his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell
Sweatt, Sr.

The school children went skiing
at the Wilderness Ski Slopes in
Dixville Notch Wednesday. Most of
the parents go along too.

Donald Glover and family were
in Berlin Sunday.

North Paris**Eveline Barrett, Corres.**

Saturday morning: Another elo-
gious week end. Aren't they
lovely? At least it's snowdrifts
instead of ice cakes and high wa-
ter. I'd like to be a meteorologist
for just one week end. I had to
look on the calendar to see if this
was a holiday week end. Only one
truck had gone by our house at
9 a. m. besides the snowplow. Neal
Cohen was unable to get off the
hill, so he had a half day vaca-
tion.

The Correy Bonney family at-
tended the funeral of Shirley's
sister, Mrs. Patricia Paine, Sunday.
Our sympathy to them all.

Callers at Lawrences: Lloyd
Huntley, Fay Eastman, Karen, An-
gela, Dot Smith, Nancy Mason,
Heather, Timmy, Mr. and Mrs.
Pete Lawrence.

Emery Ryerson did some work
at the Barretts Thursday. Other
callers: John Estes, Lloyd Huntley,
Doris Lawrence, Laura Keene came
selling Girl Scout cookies and
called on the rest of the neigh-
bors.

Wilbur "Skip" Chamberlain, who
is a boiler man at Penley Corp.,
opened the fire box door as the
man upstairs turned on the molder
machine and he was burned on
the face and right hand and arm.
He was in bed several days.

Dot Smith, Root and Doris, Law-
rence had supper with Fay East-
man and family Friday night in
the snowstorm.

I hope all watched the Memori-
al to Sen. H. H. Humphrey.

We are glad to see Clifton Tan-
ner go by in his little red auto.
He and another car had a colli-
sion.

Bob Coffin used the Town's
big scoop Sunday to clear the
snow at Phil Hyam's. The snow
was packed in good.

Until next week, don't lose the
old snow shovel.

South Woodstock**Olive Davis, Corres.**

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USDA CHOICE • TABLET BEEF

1 lb. \$1.68

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BEEF LIVER

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1 lb. 59¢

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USDA CHOICE • TABLET BEEF

1 lb. \$1.68

Cubed Steak

FROM THE ROUND

1 lb. \$1.58

Macaroni Spaghetti

1 lb. 99¢

Coffee

1 lb. \$4.59

Peanut Butter

1 lb. 69¢

Oranges

8 for 99¢

APPLES

1 lb. 69¢

CARROTS

2 lb. 49¢

Onions

1 lb. 49¢

Tomatoes

1 lb. 59¢

Margarine

2 lb. 89¢

Orange Juice

1 gal. 89¢

DISCOUNTS

5 for 69¢

YOGURT

3 for 99¢

MOZZARELLA

1 lb. 99¢

CHEESE

1 lb. 99¢

Ice Cream

1 gal. 89¢

French Fries

1 lb. 99¢

Pizza Shells

1 lb. 79¢

Bread

2 lb. 89¢

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2 lb. 89¢

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COMMUNITY FOOD STORE PLANNED — BETHEL MEETING TO BE JAN. 31

Many area residents, for nearly two years, have been involved in saving money on food costs through a local non-profit organization known as the Out-to-Lunch Food Co-operative. Members meet on a monthly basis to receive, and order food for the following month. Out-to-Lunch Co-op in conjunction with three other co-ops in Oxford County, combine orders and send a truck to the Chelsea Produce Market in Boston, Mass., where top quality foods, produce, breads and cheese are obtained at wholesale prices.

A recent survey comparing food prices of various food stores through Oxford County, showed that a savings on the average of 50% is gained by buying through a food co-op. This means that for every \$25 spent on food, \$25 is saved. Since food represents a substantial portion of a family's weekly budget, any savings is always helpful.

Store front co-ops open a lot of doors for community development, but they entail new and different methods of operation too. The beauty of a pre-order co-op is its simplicity. A strong organization does not need to be established; there is little need for major capital outlay; the overhead is minimal; and the whole effort is really fluid. Of course, there are many problems with the pre-order form of organization. In short, it requires enormous amounts of effort while serving few needs of a small sector of the community. Beans and cheese once a month is simply not that much. Overcoming some of those shortcomings requires more sophisticated organization—simplicity must be sacrificed for a broader servicing of needs.

Anyone wishing for this project to become a reality please come to a meeting Jan. 31. See next week's Citizen for further details.

DISTRICT #1 KOCH SKI LEAGUE HOLDS SECOND RACE OF SEASON SUNDAY

The second race of the season between the four teams of District #1, Bill Koch Ski League, was held Sunday in Farmington.

The results were as follows:
Lollypops: 1 John Varulo (F); 2 Patty Jaros (A); 3 Mike Miller (A); 4 Christine Gammon (A).

Class V Girls: 1 Emily Gammon (A); 2 Allison Belanger (A); 3 Kirsten Froburg (B); 4 Heidi Belanger (A); 5 Nancy Millette (A).
Class V Boys: 1 Brian Fogg (A); 2 Michael Varulo (F); 3 Brent Agvine (B); 4 Jay Hastings (B); 5 Robbie Shields (A).

Class IV Girls: 1 Heidi Gatz (Auburn); 2 Deanne Bodemer (Andover); 3 Julie Hastings (B); 4 Debbie Seyward (F); 5 Kim Deans (A).
Class IV Boys: 1 Ricky Bodwell (A); 2 Gary Broomhall (R); 3 Chuck Jaros (A); 4 Eric Froburg (B); 5 Jon Akers (A).

Class III: 1 MaryAnn Jaros (A); 2 Shelley Pelletier (R); 3 Laurie Vogt (B); 4 Holly Piacas (R); 5 Brenda Broomhall (R).

Class III Boys: 1 Jerry Deans (A); 2 Adam Gammon (A); 3 Chris Akers (A); 4 James Shields (A); 5 Eric Morton (A).

Class II Girls: 1 Michelle Varulo (F); 2 Virginia Kelley (F).
Class II Boys: 1 Philip Broomhall (R); 2 Steve Finley (F).

Jumping: Class III—1 Jerry Deans (A); Class IV—1 Jay Varulo (F); 2 Chuck Jaros (A).

The next race will be held in Rumford on Jan. 29 at Chisholm Winter Park.

HAYNER - FERRANTE ENGAGEMENT

Donald F. Hayner of Newry and Mrs. Suzanne Hayner of Glastonbury, Conn., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Gaye, to David J. Ferrante, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Ferrante of Arrowhead Drive, Glastonbury, Conn.

Gaye is a graduate of Glastonbury High School and is a student at Middlesex Community College, Middletown, Conn. David, also a graduate of Glastonbury High School, served with the armed forces in Vietnam and is a marine engine mechanic.

A summer wedding is planned.

BORN

In Lewiston, Jan. 7, to Mike and Linda Gilbert of Bethel, a daughter, Amanda Lee.

Jan. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Timothy J. Ramage of Brewer, a son, Christopher John.

In Rumford, Jan. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston of Andover, a son, Kurt Allen.

MARRIED

In Bethel, Jan. 7, by Rev. Thomas C. Cato, Jeffrey Scott Leighton of York and Augusta and Miss Susan Lynn Bryant of Bethel.

In West Paris, Dec. 17, by Carolyn Palmer, Notary Public, Cpl. Paul Dunham and Miss Ginger Sue Doughty.

DIED
In Spring Hill, Fla., Jan. 11, Stanley H. Wentzell, formerly of Bethel, aged 84 years.

THREE GOULD SENIORS ACCEPTED FOR EARLY DECISION TO COLLEGE

Dale Adams, Evie deFrees and David Polstein, seniors and members of the National Honor Society at Gould Academy, were all accepted for early decision at the college of their choice.

Miss Adams, daughter of Mrs. Evelyn S. Sawyer, Kennebunkport, and Lee F. Adams, Jr., of Yarmouth, was accepted at Bates College. In addition to being an honor roll student, Dale is very active in athletics and is a varsity member of the tennis team and an avid skier.

Miss deFrees is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burton deFrees, Rumford Center, and has been accepted at Brown University. She is quite active in the music and drama program at Gould, as well as maintaining honor roll grades.

Mr. Polstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Polstein, Augusta, has been accepted at Middlebury College. He spent the fall term in France as a part of Gould's foreign exchange program, and since his return has been a member of the varsity basketball team.

All three students are to be commended for their hard work and academic achievement that has resulted in this honor. Early decision represents only a very small percentage of the total number of student applications and the competition is very tough.



Amn. John A. Sylvester

SYLVESTER COMPLETES USAF BASIC TRAINING AT LACKLAND AFB, TEXAS

Airman John A. Sylvester, son of Mrs. Beverly L. Sylvester of Andover, has graduated at Lackland AFB, Tex., from Air Force basic training.

The airman, who is remaining at Lackland for specialized training in the security police field, studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. Completion of this training earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Sylvester is a 1969 graduate of Telstar Regional High School, Bethel. His father, Walter B. Sylvester, Sr., lives in Rumford.

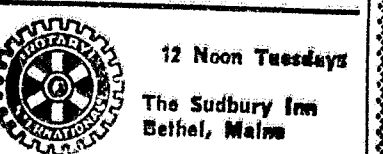
CHOSEN TO INTERVIEW FOR INTERNATIONAL WORLD FRIENDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Pamela Morton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Morton of Hanover, was chosen by Kenneboc Girl Scout Council, Inc., as one of three girls from the State of Maine to travel to Peru, N. Y., to interview as a candidate for International World Friendship Opportunities.

Pamela is a sophomore at Rumford High School and is a member of the Senior Girl Scout Troop of Hanover.

The three girls from Maine were members of a group of 19 girls from the northeastern United States who met Jan. 6 at Peru and were interviewed by a panel of five persons. Two girls were chosen to go to Switzerland and two were chosen to go to India. None of the girls from Maine were chosen for those opportunities, but will still have a chance for the Opportunity "Wind Song" to be held in Utah later this year.

Mike and Linda Gilbert of Bethel are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Amanda Lee on Jan. 7, in Lewiston.



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COUNTY DEMOCRATS MEET

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before the Democratic Caucus Week, Feb. 12-18, in order that platform planks may be discussed at municipal caucuses.

County Chairman Paul McGuire conducted the business meeting of the Oxford County Democratic Committee. He announced that forms are now available for Convention program aids. Individuals and firms wishing to buy space in the programs should contact town Democratic committee members. The 1978 Convention will be held on April 28-30 at the Civic Center in Portland.

Representatives from towns in Oxford County announced the dates set for town caucuses as follows: Rumford, Feb. 13, Municipal Building; Paris, Feb. 16, Library; Bethel, Feb. 14, Savings Bank; Oxford, Feb. 13, Fire Station; Mexico, Feb. 15, Town Hall; West Paris, Feb. 15, Maine National Bank. Meetings will be held beginning at 7 p. m., with the exception of Oxford's which will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Cathy Newell of Bethel, Gayla Pulkkinen of South Paris, and David Dexter of Paris Hill, were appointed by Chairman McGuire to serve on the Affirmative Action Committee, with a report and plan of action to be presented at the February meeting, set for Feb. 9 in Bethel.

WE HAVE 4,000!

Four thousand labels have been cut, counted and are ready to ship to the Campbell soup can labels—but we need 13,124 more labels to reach our goal. The children of the Bethel Biscuit School are busy bringing the labels in.

Boxes have been placed in convenient locations in the area. They include: Bethel IGA, Clukey's Pharmacy, Casco Bank, Bethel Savings Bank, Bethel Post Office, Clukey's Beauty Parlor, L & F Country Store (West Bethel), Bethel's Country Store (Locke), Telstar Regional High School (office), and Crescent Park School.

Remember—all Campbell soups, beans, and Franco-American labels count. We are having a contest to see which class can bring in the most labels each week. The first week Mrs. Coolidge's class won. Last week Mrs. Gould's class won. Let's help the children of B.S.S. Your help is appreciated. — Caroline V. Gould.

YOUNG LIFE'S FIRST ANNUAL ICE SKATING EVENT HELD LAST FRIDAY NIGHT

Oxford County Young Life's first annual "Slip Sliding Away" ice skating event was held last Friday night for local high school young people.

Some very fancy skating was witnessed by spectators and enthusiastic participants.

Gary Carter was very helpful in keeping the ice clean with a giant six foot scraper that he appeared to effortlessly pull throughout the evening.

Jeff Goudreau had the most spectacular fall of the night severely cracking the ice in one corner.

Many enjoyed the whips which were continually formed, jettisoning a number of brave participants out across the rink.

Results of the slip sliding away contest are as follows:

3rd place: Slippery suited, Troy Bennett with a distance of 55' 4 1/2".
2nd place: Mike Friel, exhibiting excellent form, with a distance of 56' 6 1/2".

1st place: Greg Tyler's final slide on his stomach 57' 1 1/2" which took him out of the shovelled rink.

Many sat on the benches and drank cocoa and hot cider, as the bonfire sank into the ice.

Paul Shaw is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital.
Wallace Saunders has been transferred from Rumford Community Hospital to Maine Medical Center, Portland.

CARLETON W. MacKAY

Carleton W. MacKay, reported to be in his early 50's, died early Wednesday morning, Jan. 18, 1977, in a fire that gutted his home on the Jintown Road, Gorham, N. H. Smoke inhalation has been listed as the cause of death.

Mr. MacKay, who resided alone, was employed as an accountant for Brown Company and was an avid -OB operator. For many years he and his family were summer residents on Twitchell Pond, Greenwood.

A daughter, Mrs. Scot (Donna) Howe, lives in Bryant Pond.

BOY SCOUTS — TROOP 565

Troop 565 and their Dads will meet at the Rumford bowling alley at 1 o'clock, Saturday, Jan. 21.

All boys who have not already signed up for 1978 and any new boys who want to join Scouts, please bring the \$3 for the registration fee.

Regular meetings are held each Monday at 7 o'clock at the Legion Hall on Vernon Street, Bethel.

For further information, contact the Scoutmaster, Philip Korhonen, at 824-2796.

MUNDT-ALLEN POST & AUX. REPRESENTED AT SIX-STATE CONFERENCE

Mrs. Carolyn Brooks and her daughter, Miss Jeri Brooks, both of Bethel, attended a six-state New England area conference in Chicago, Mass., January 10 to 14, under the auspices of the American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary and the Forty and Eight.

The first half of the conference was devoted to such veteran's affairs and rehabilitation interests as general medical, surgical, domiciliary and neuro-psychiatric care. The meeting then turned to such problems of youth as career education, financial and scholastic aids and American Education Week. Finally the welfare of children was explored through such areas as alcohol and youth, immunization, child abuse and neglect.

Five such area conferences were held throughout the United States and will provide a 14-million dollar program of service to children and disabled veterans. The findings of these conferences will lead to the welfare of youth and the handicapped for some time to come.

Mrs. Brooks is a member of Mundt-Allen Post #81 of Bethel and Miss Brooks a member of the American Legion Auxiliary presently serving as 2nd District President.

B.E.A.R.S., Inc.

(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service)

The First Aid Class started Jan. 10. There is still time to take it. This course is very good for anyone—see you there.

Sorry about the column last week but with the high water I just forgot.

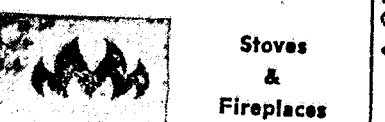
Would like to say "Thanks" to Florence Merrill for an excellent job as president last year. Good luck to her again this year.

The regular monthly meeting was held Jan. 16. The members cleaned the ambulance from top to bottom on the inside.

Safety Tip of the Week
Be careful while shoveling or blowing snow. This can be very strenuous to one's heart. Take a break then go back to work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey S. Leighton

LEIGHTON - BRYANT

Susan Lynn Bryant became the bride of Jeffrey Scott Leighton Jan. 7 at 1 p. m. at the West Parish Congregational Church. Rev. Thomas Cato performed the double ring ceremony, which was followed by a reception at the Bethel Inn.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Bryant of Bethel. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Verdi L. Leighton of York.

Attending her as maid of honor was Nancy E. Trinward of Portland. Bridesmaids were Christine L. Merrill of Kennebunk; Ellen B. Clark and Barbara J. Stone, both of Bethel; Rebecca A. Ayers of Manchester, was junior bridesmaid. Flower girl was Kara L. Kaiser of Westmoreland, N. H. Gregory T. Pier of New Jersey was the best man. Ushers were Michael Staszko of Portland; Robert Ayers of Manchester, and Richard Rosebush of New York.

Following a trip to Stowe, Vt., the couple will make their home in Augusta.

A graduate of Telstar Regional High School, Mrs. Leighton is a senior at the University of Maine at Orono.

Mr. Leighton, a graduate of York High School and the University of Maine at Orono, is employed by the Charles E. Downing Co., Augusta.

Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pegnanie of Massachusetts have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and family and others in the area.

The Ladies Circle met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rowena Dunham. Officers for the year were elected.

IN MEMORY OF ROGER FOSTER
Although you have been gone only a year,
It seems much longer since you were here.

Sadly missed by
Wife, children, grandchildren, all the Foster families

STANLEY H. WENTZELL

Stanley H. Wentzell, a former resident of Bethel and Gorham, N. H., died Wednesday, Jan. 11, 1978, in Spring Hill, Fla.

He was born in Nova Scotia, Can., Oct. 27, 1893, the son of Hugo and Ellen Wentzell, was a retired general logging superintendent at Brown Co., of Berlin, N. H., and moved to Florida nine years ago.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Millie Wentzell, of Spring Hill, Fla.; two sons, Erland, Sebago, Maine; and Rodney, Amherst, N. H.; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Elchel, Northford, Conn.; four brothers, Harold, Brockton, Mass.; Fred, Taunton, Mass.; Carroll, Gorham, N. H.; Oscar, Birmingham, Ala.; a sister, Lulu Oikle, New Germany, Nova Scotia; 11 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Greenleaf funeral home, Rev. B. F. Wentworth officiating. Interment was at Riverside Cemetery.

DUNHAM - DOUGHTY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Doughty, West Paris, was the setting of a candlelight ceremony on Dec. 17, 1977, at 7:30 p. m. when their daughter, Ginger Sue, became the bride of Spt. Paul land Dunham, West Paris. Decorations included the holiday decorated Christmas tree and baskets of pink and white mums.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Carolyn Palmer, Notary Public.

The bride wore a long muslin dress of apricot accented by a corsage of yellow roses and white carnations. Her attendant was Margaret Queenan of Westford, Mass., and Randy Stevens served as best man.

The bride graduated from Oxford Hills High School in 1977. She is employed at Sampsons. The groom graduated from O.H.S., class of 1974 and is currently stationed in the Marine Corps. His wife will soon join him.

Mr. Leighton, a graduate of York High School and the University of Maine at Orono, is employed by the Charles E. Downing Co., Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pegnanie of Massachusetts have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and family and others in the area.

The Ladies Circle met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rowena Dunham. Officers for the year were elected.

IN MEMORY OF ROGER FOSTER
Although you have been gone only a year,
It seems much longer since you were here.

Sadly missed by
Wife, children, grandchildren, all the Foster families

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